

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY
AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE LITIGATION

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

The City of New York v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
S.D.N.Y. Case No. 04-CV-06054

County of Albany v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0425

County of Allegany v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0236

County of Broome v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-00456

County of Cattaraugus v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0256

County of Cayuga v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0423

County of Chautauqua v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0214

County of Chenango v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0354

County of Fulton v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0519

County of Genesee v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-00267

County of Greene v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0474

County of Herkimer v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-00415

County of Jefferson v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0715

County of Madison v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0714

County of Monroe v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-6148

County of Niagara v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-6296

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County of Oneida v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0489

County of Onondaga v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0088

County of Putnam v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
S.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-4748

County of Rensselaer v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0422

County of Rockland v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
S.D.N.Y. Case No. 03-CV-7055

County of St. Lawrence v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0479

County of Saratoga v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0478

County of Steuben v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-6223

County of Suffolk v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
E.D.N.Y. Case No. 01-CV-12257

County of Tompkins v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0397

County of Warrren v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0468

County of Washington v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
N.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-0408

County of Wayne v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-6138

County of Westchester v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
S.D.N.Y. Case No. 03-CV-6178

County of Yates v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.
W.D.N.Y. Case No. 05-CV-06172

**NEW YORK COUNTIES' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE PLAINTIFFS' RESPONSE
TO DEFENDANTS' REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND FURTHER RELIEF
IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH JULY 8, 2005 ORDER UNDER SEAL**

Plaintiffs, the City of New York and the captioned Counties, all of whom are represented by Kirby McInerney & Squire, LLP ("KMS"), respectfully file this Motion for Leave to File Plaintiffs' Response To Defendants' Request For Extension Of Time And Further Relief In Order To Comply With The July 8, 2005 Order Under Seal.

Plaintiffs seek to file this Response under seal because it necessarily refers to a confidential source of market price data. Thus, the document contains information that is subject to this Court's protective order of December 13, 2002.

A proposed form of order is attached hereto.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Court grant them leave to file their Response under seal.

Dated: October 12, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that on October 12, 2005 a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion for Leave to File Plaintiffs' Response To Defendants' Request For Extension Of Time And Further Relief In Order To Comply With The July 8, 2005 Order Under Seal was served on all Counsel of Record by electronic service pursuant to Case Management Order No. 2 by sending a copy to Verilaw Technologies for posting and notification to all parties.

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